GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

PS – PR and RD Department - Allegations on irregularities in execution of work Accelerated Urban Water Supply Programme (AUWSP) to Bapulapadu in Krishna District – Disciplinary Proceedings under Rule 20 of APCS(CC&A) Rules, 1991 initiated against Sri Y.S.Harinatha Rao, formerly DY. Executive Engineer Rural Water Supply & Sanitation, Gannavaram and Sri, J.V.Raghavaiah, formerly AE, Rural Water Supply & Sanitation(P), Gannavaram - Charges not proved in the Regular Enquiry – Explanations received – Further action dropped - Orders – Issued.

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PANCHAYAT RAJ AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT (VIG.I) DEPARTMENT

G.O.RT.No. 372 **Dated: 03-07-2020.**
Read the following:

1. From GA(V&E) Department, Alert No.108(1016/V&E/E2/10) Dt.25.08.2011.
2. Govt. Memo No.21568/Vig.II/A2/2011-7&9, P.R. & R.D. (Vig.II) Deptt., Dated:-23.05.2012.
3. From Sri Y.S. Harinadha Rao, former DEE, WSD, Dt.23.08.2012.
4. From Sri J.V.Raghavaiah, former AE, Rural Water Supply & Sanitation, WSD, Dt.09.08.2012.
5. G.O.Rt.No.1085, PR&RD (Vig. I) Dept., Dt:30.11.2015.
6. G.O.Rt.No.54, PR&RD (Vig.VI) Department, Dt.29.01.2018. 7.From Sri P.K.Sarangi, IFS, COI, Member, GA (COI-PKS) Department, Dt.10.01.2019. 8.Govt.Memo.No.21568/Vig.VI/2011, PR&RD ((Vig.VI) Deptt., Dt.09.09.2019.
9. From Sri Y.Harinath Rao, formerly DEE, Explanation, Dt.09.09.2019.
10. From Sri J.V.Raghavaiah, former AE, Rural Water Supply & Sanitation, Dt.09.09.2019.

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ORDER:-

In the reference 2nd read above, Govt. initiated disciplinary proceedings by framing article of charge against Sri Y.S.Harinatha Rao, formerly DY. Executive Engineer Rural Water Supply & Sanitation, Gannavaram and Sri J.V.Raghavaiah, formerly AE, Rural Water Supply & Sanitation(P), Gannavaram, for committing certain allegation of irregularities in execution of work Accelerated Urban Water Supply Programme (AUWSP) to Bapulapadu in Krishna District with a direction to the Charged Officer to submit their WSD.

2. In the reference 3rd & 4th read above, the Charged Officers Sri Y.S.Harinatha Rao, formerly DY. Executive Engineer Rural Water Supply & Sanitation, Gannavaram and Sri, J.V.Raghavaiah, formerly AE, Rural Water Supply & Sanitation(P), Gannavaram have submitted their written statement of defence.

3. Government have not satisfied with the Written Statement Defence submitted by Charged Officers and decided to conduct regular enquiry into the matter against the charged officers including against five (5) other co-charged officers involved in the case. Accordingly, in the reference 5th read above, appointed Dr.Prem Chand, I.A.S, Commissioner of Inquiries, General Administration Department as the Inquiring Authority to conduct enquiry into matter. Further, Govt appointed Sri P.K.Sarangi, IFS, COI, General Administration Department as Inquiring Authority, in place of Dr. Prem Chand, I.A.S, Commissioner of Inquiries, vide reference 6th read above.

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4. In the reference 7th read above, the Inquiring Authority has submitted inquiry report dt:10.01.2019, wherein the Inquiry Officer has held that charges are not proved against the charged officers Sri Y.S.Harinatha Rao, DEE and Sri, J.V.Raghavaiah, AE.

5. In the reference 8th read above, Government, among others, have communicated copy of the inquiry report to the charged officers Sri Y.S.Harinatha Rao, formerly DY. Executive Engineer Rural Water Supply & Sanitation, Gannavaram and Sri, J.V.Raghavaiah, formerly AE, Rural Water Supply & Sanitation(P), Gannavaram, for their representation on the findings of the Inquiry Officer.

6. In the reference 9th & 10th read above, Sri Y.S.Harinatha Rao, formerly DY. Executive Engineer Rural Water Supply & Sanitation, Gannavaram and Sri, J.V.Raghavaiah, formerly AE, Rural Water Supply & Sanitation(P), Gannavaram have submitted their representations, wherein both the C.Os have stated that the inquiry Officer have stated that the charges farmed against them are not proved and therefore requested to drop further action against them.

7. After careful examination of the matter, Government have decided to drop further action against Sri Y.S.Harinatha Rao, formerly DY. Executive Engineer Rural Water Supply & Sanitation, Gannavaram and Sri, J.V.Raghavaiah, formerly AE, Rural Water Supply & Sanitation(P), Gannavaram, in respect of allegations of irregularities in execution of work Accelerated Urban Water Supply Programme (AUWSP) to Bapulapadu in Krishna District, since the charges are not proved against them.

8. Accordingly, Government hereby drop further action against Sri Y.S.Harinatha Rao, formerly DY. Executive Engineer, Rural Water Supply & Sanitation, Gannavaram and Sri, J.V.Raghavaiah, formerly AE, Rural Water Supply & Sanitation(P), Gannavaram in the matter.

9. The Engineer-in-Chief, RWS&S, A.P, Vijayawada shall take necessary action in the matter accordingly.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

GOPAL KRISHNA DWIVEDI
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
The Engineer in Chief, RWS&S, Andhra Pradesh, Vijayawada.
Sri Y.S.Harinatha Rao, formerly DY. Executive Engineer Rural Water Supply & Sanitation, Gannavaram **through** the Engineer-in-Chief, RWS&S, A.P, Vijayawada.
Sri, J.V.Raghavaiah, formerly AE, Rural Water Supply & Sanitation(P), Gannavaram **through** the Engineer-in-Chief, RWS&S, A.P, Vijayawada. Copy to:
The A.P. Vigilance Commission, Velagapudi.
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